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THROW EVERYTHING TO DEMOCRATS

Warning of Willington Delegate Recklessly Disregarded at Bull Moose Convention

G. WARREN DAVIS IS NOMINATED FOR CONGRESS

Beats Out Old Lyme Candidate by Vote of 32 to 8—Edgar H. Allen of Norwich a Presidential Elector—Herbert Knox Smith and Frank S. Butterworth to Head the Ticket—Only Woman Delegate Creates Enthusiasm.

Hartford, Sept. 26.—After placing a state ticket in the field headed by Herbert Knox Smith, former chief of the state police, for governor, the progressive state convention late this afternoon decided by almost unanimous vote to have the mandate go forth that there must be no endorsement of other party tickets.

Legislative Ticket Favored.

As soon as this action was taken, resolutions were passed favoring a legislative ticket in the field. As many delegates phrased their attitudes they believed that Mr. Smith had a good chance for election as governor, and in that case it was political wisdom to surround his leadership by the support of the progressive party. What opposition was taken to these resolutions was very faintly manifested, in comparison with the enthusiasm with which the entire programme was put through.

The State Ticket.

For Governor—Herbert Knox Smith.
For Lieutenant Governor—Frank S. Butterworth.
For Secretary of State—Edward M. Roselle.
For Treasurer—Frank J. Erbe.
For Comptroller—H. O. Daniels.

Presidential Electors.

Marcus Floyd of Simsbury, Dr. W. E. Butler of New Haven, Guston Borglum of Stamford, Edgar H. Allen of Norwich, George A. Congrove, Willington; Edwin C. Hammond of Waterford.

Congressional Nominations.

Congressional district convention nominations:

First District—Joseph W. Alsop of Avon.
Second District—G. Warren Davis of Norwich.
Third District—Prof. Tandell Henderson of New Haven.
Fourth District—Samuel E. Vincent of Bridgeport.
Fifth District—H. G. Hoadley of Waterbury.

Platform of Considerable Length.

The convention, besides adopting a platform of considerable length and which was exceptionally prolific in planks but in most instances planks couched in short, crisp sentences, affirmatively action on separate resolutions of interest.

Resolution Against Endorsements.

A resolution went through providing that no candidate of any other party shall be endorsed by the progressive party unless "such candidate shall have declared his adherence to the national and state platforms of the progressive party." This caused much discussion, many delegates believing that the fervor of the endorsement to their party was such that they could be trusted not to endorse any republican for office.

Several Delegates Protest.

Delegate after delegate rose to say the resolution was superfluous, while other delegates said that the Stamford incident would be repeated many times if the opportunity was given other party politicians to seek progressive endorsement.

Hill Sought Endorsement.

Under cover of the debate, Fairfield county delegates claimed that friends of Congressman Hill had sought to get progressive endorsement and they were told that so long as Mr. Hill stood for Mr. Taft and not for Colonel Roosevelt, they would not endorse him. An attack upon Mr. Hill was stopped by Chairman Alsop who said that Mr. Hill was not under discussion. All attention to the resolution was practically swept aside in the final action.

Give Democrats Control of Assembly.

Then followed a two-part resolution that the progressives should make senatorial nominations and wherever possible nominations for the house. During the debate, all attention to the resolution was practically swept aside in the final action.

Throws Everything to Democrats.

Mr. Congrove of Willington was among those who protested against this line, but delegates jumped to their feet and replied that if the democrats would win, let them win. Mr. Congrove said that the action of the convention "meant the throwing of all congressional and state offices to the democrats," and then he started to say that the democrats stood for the principles of protection, while the democrats did not. Delegates replied that protection was not the only issue before the party.

Enthusiasm Over Woman Delegate.

Miss Jean Kynock of Vernon, the only woman delegate among the first party to speak, urged the passage of the resolution, saying that the platform committed the party to support of woman's suffrage and that it was needed to help in the work of getting a suffrage law through. Miss Kynock was wildly cheered, and P. O'Hara, the labor man of Stamford, who had been moved to the front by the enthusiasm, moved that Miss Kynock's name be "inscribed in the records of this convention as the first woman to take part in a political convention." This was passed and amid the waving of red handkerchiefs and with blushes on her cheeks and a smile on her face Miss Kynock sat down. In a minute the resolution went through with a tremendous "Aye!"

Financing of Campaign.

E. C. Terry's resolution that the convention go on record as against the annexation of a town or part of a town with another town without the consent of a majority of the electors of such town, was passed.

A. J. Bursley of Farmington explained to the convention the plan for financing the campaign by means of the sale of certificates at \$1, \$5 and \$10, which show original membership in the party.

The convention closed shortly before 8 o'clock with cheers for the ticket.

Cabled Paragraphs

Queues of Chinamen Killed.

Amoy, China, Sept. 26.—Violent riots, in which many Chinese were killed and their quarters were looted, are reported today from Amoy, in the interior of the province of Fu-Kien.

Thousands Homeless by Typhoon.

Tokio, Japan, Sept. 26.—Damage exceeding \$20,000,000 was caused by the typhoon which swept Japan from end to end on Sunday, while the loss of life was very heavy and tens of thousands are homeless.

Greeks to Make Protest.

Athens, Greece, Sept. 26.—A vigorous protest against the firing by Turkish troops on the Greek steamer Roumeli Samos on the 24th days ago is to be made by the Greek minister at Constantinople.

Mutinous Soldiers Executed.

Wu-Chang, China, Sept. 26.—More than 300 mutinous soldiers were executed and promptly executed without court-martial by the local troops commanded by Gen. Li Hung Heng in consequence of the outbreak which occurred among the soldiers on the 24th outside the walls of this city on Tuesday.

Railroad Strike Spreading.

Madrid, Sept. 26.—The railroad strike has spread from Catalonia to other parts of Spain. At a meeting at Almeria today of men employed on the southern line, a resolution was adopted to stop work on the railway on the 27th, and the company had arbitrarily discharged a foreman.

banquet of the international congress of chambers of commerce, where the president made a speech.

The governor put on his evening clothes, wrinkled his brow, and went to the reception room, but found the president had not yet come from the banquet room.

What Effect Upon Business?

"In my opinion, this is the vital question which the democratic candidates must face before the campaign is closed, and is the issue upon which the success of the democratic business men who voted for President Taft four years ago, will be found voting for him again this fall. The essential question is not whether any of us would like to see the tariff reduced by tariff reduction, but how we propose to make those reductions without injury to labor and to American business enterprises. The real question to the business community is not as to abstract merits of free trade or protection, but what effect will be produced upon business conditions by radical changes in the existing tariff.

If They Mean It, Business Suffers.

"The opposition should answer the question clearly and definitely whether they propose to so far reduce existing tariff duties as to bring foreign goods to the American market at such a price as to deprive the American goods of the same character and thereby increase imports.

"Either they mean this or they do not mean it. If they do not mean it, their platitude about not reducing tariff duties will be a fraud and a delusion upon the people. If they do mean it, then certain American interests must suffer.

WILSON IN MASSACHUSETTS.

Urges His Election That Country May Have a "Team."

Fall River, Mass., Sept. 26.—Gov. Woodrow Wilson found the people of Massachusetts who greeted him today as an enthusiastic and demonstrative as he has met since he began his campaign for the presidency. Great crowds turned out at Springfield, Fall River and Barre, where the governor made scheduled speeches, but along the way his reception was practically continuous. People came crowding, crushing and pressing to the rear of the train and stretched their hands upward for Wilson to shake. Cries for buttons were incessant and the governor himself helped toss them from the train.

The nominees covered a variety of topics in his speeches, including the tariff, the questions affecting monopoly and governmental assistance to farmers. Governor Foss of Massachusetts, Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston and National Committeeman Fred Coughlin appeared with Governor Wilson at the county fair at Barre, where a big crowd gathered. The presidential candidates made a brief speech, allotting most of his time there to shaking hands with a long line of people.

The outset of his speech here the governor set forth that the democratic party was the only organized team ready to govern the country and that neither the republican nor progressive party would control congress in any event. He declared that if the leader of the third party were elected he would be the "loneliest official in the United States."

The governor predicted that in all possibility there would be a democratic house and a democratic senate, and added that the leader of the third party, if elected, would be "as unuseful as the present president of the United States."

"I mean no disrespect," said the governor, "but all the measures passed by both houses and intended for the voters and buyers of the country have been vetoed. Our president occupies a post of resistance, for he hasn't a team, and the only president you can associate with a team is a democratic president. I don't know what kind of a captain I would make if I were going to pretend that the democratic president would be successful. All I can say is that he will have a team."

CHURCHILL FOR GOVERNOR.

New Hampshire Progressives Make Nomination.

Concord, N. H., Sept. 26.—Winston Churchill of Cornish was nominated for governor by the progressives here today and a platform largely confined to the women who gathered. Churchill's nomination of other candidates will be made by petition under the direction of a state committee chosen by the convention. Mr. Churchill formally accepted the nomination, also addressed the delegates.

Suffragettes Wearing Armor.

London, Sept. 27.—The suffragettes latest dodge is the wearing of protective armor. It is learned that several of the women who gathered at the London George's Welsh meeting on Saturday were armed and padded gowns, with sharp pins, points outward, firmly fixed in the padding.

Vicious Effect of Free Trade

WILL REDUCE THE DEMAND FOR AMERICAN GOODS.

MACHINERY WILL STOP

Chairman Hill Declares the Effect on Business is the Essential Question—Asks Wilson to Be More Specific.

Beverly, Mass., Sept. 26.—Chairman Hill of the republican national committee after a day with President Taft and New England republican leaders, issued a statement tonight, taking issue with Gov. Woodrow Wilson, and declaring his views on free trade and protection were to be measured by the effect upon business conditions.

Democratic Placitudes.

"I see it is intimated by Governor Wilson that the effect of the tariff is to be measured by the effect upon business conditions. It seems to me that in that respect the boot is on the other leg. I have yet to find in any of the democratic speeches, a clear definition of what they propose to do in regard to the tariff if they control the government. There have been many platitudes uttered about the tariff, but it has not been pointed out how it would be a revision of the tariff to a revenue only point, without injury to existing industry.

Constitutionality Not Considered.

The attorney general upholds the postmaster general's construction that it is immaterial whether subscriptions are individual or in bulk and that the provision of the law covers the number of copies of a publication distributed to certain paid subscribers by any means. Mr. Wickersham's opinion, prepared at the direction of President Taft, does not touch upon the constitutionality of the law which is part of the postoffice appropriation bill enacted at the last session of congress.

Hitchcock's Inquiry.

Mr. Hitchcock inquired whether the law "shall be limited to paid individual subscriptions or whether it includes purchases in bulk by news agencies or others for redistribution, also whether in your opinion the provision covers circulation of daily newspapers not distributed through the mails."

Text of Wickersham's Reply.

"It is immaterial whether or not subscriptions are individual or in bulk. The statement should include the average of the number of copies of each issue of such publication sold or distributed to all persons who have subscribed; that is, have agreed to take and pay for one or more copies of the publication for a definite period of time, and have paid for such subscriptions."

Forms Mailed to Editors.

"We shall administer the law justly and impartially, as we find it," said Mr. Hitchcock today. "The opinion by the attorney general upholds the constitutionality of the law by officers of the postoffice department. We have no alternative; we must enforce it."

Today we are beginning to mail to 12,000 editors forms to be filled out in compliance with the law. These will reach their destinations by Oct. 1, when the law becomes effective. Under the act they must be filled out and returned as soon as practicable. In the event of failure to comply with the provisions of the law, publishers may be liable to the penalty provided by congress.

MRS. HANNER ACCUSED OF SHOOTING HUSBAND

Mr. Hanner and Himself Wounded While Automobiling.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Mrs. Mary M. Hanner is technically under arrest here tonight on a charge of having shot her husband, George Hanner, on the night of September 12, when they were automobiling on the shore of the falls. The warrant for Mrs. Hanner's arrest was issued by Judge Smith at North Tonawanda late today at the close of John Doe proceedings.

Judge Smith gave the warrant to Chief of Police Ryan to serve. A disagreement between the police of two cities developed when the question arose as to who would furnish a guard for Mrs. Hanner who is still at Mount St. Mary's hospital with a bullet wound in her knee. The dispute is still unsettled.

The shooting of the Hanners occurred on September 12 while they were enroute from Niagara Falls to Buffalo in an automobile. Mr. Hanner was shot in the back of the head and Mrs. Hanner's right knee was shattered by a bullet. In the automobile accident the Hanners were with Chambers of Buffalo, a chauffeur and the Hanners' four year old boy. Mrs. Hanner told the police the shooting seemed to come from a lumber yard at the side of the road.

PARTY LEADERS SEEK FOR A "DARK HORSE"

No Nomination Yet For Governor by New York Republicans.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 26.—Midnight found the thousands of more delegates to the republican state convention, tired from a long day of deliberations and much uncertainty, still casting about to find the likely candidate for head of the state ticket to be chosen tomorrow.

The leaders were said to be trying to find a "dark horse" who would be able to capture a majority of the ballot in case the strength of the three opposing candidates were found to be neutralized.

At a late hour tonight Job E. Hedges of New York stated his absolute confidence in his nomination for governor, while the adherents of former Speaker James W. Wadsworth and former Congressman William S. Bennett were equally confident of the selection of the respective candidates.

JOHNSON'S LIGHT DIET.

Goes All Day on Egg Sandwich and Glass of Milk.

Manchester, N. H., Sept. 26.—How to campaign in short fatious was fully demonstrated today by Gov. Hiram W. Johnson, the progressive candidate for vice president. From early morning until night he ate only an egg sandwich and drank a glass of milk.

It was noted that the "California executive" wanted to show how to reduce the cost of living which caused him to eat so little. Circumstances were such that it was impossible for him to obtain any more food.

Condensed Telegrams

Three Shot by Policeman Debs

OFFICER WHO ARRESTED THAW ON RAMPAGE.

FOLLOWED A QUARREL.

Victims of His Rage—Infuriated Man Then Turns Weapon on Himself.

New York, Sept. 26.—Anthony Debs, the policeman who arrested Harry K. Thaw after he had killed Stanford White on the Madison Square Garden roof, shot and probably mortally injured his wife late today, sent bullets into the thighs of two small girls and then committed suicide.

Shooting Followed Quarrel.

The shooting took place in front of the Debs home on the upper West Side after a quarrel, the outcome of which was the serving of a subpoena upon Debs summoning him to appear in the domestic relations court.

Neighbors' Children Wounded.

Standing on the lowest step of the steps, Debs fired four times at his wife as she stood on the landing. One bullet went into her chest, another into her head, and the others struck Mary Collins, 15 years old, and Katherine Hawkesworth, of the same age. Debs had two small children who were not at home at the time of the shooting.

Debs Dies of His Wound.

Two hours later he died in the hospital where his wife lies in a critical condition, and the less seriously injured children in an adjoining ward. Debs had two small children who were not at home at the time of the shooting.

MRS. SICKLES WON'T EVICT THE GENERAL

Decides Not to Foreclose Mortgage on His Fifth Avenue Home.

New York, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Daniel E. Sickles, wife of the late civil war veteran, tonight answered the open letter which General Sickles issued to his comrades today—in which he declared his intention to live on his Fifth Avenue home, which General Sickles issued to his comrades today—in which he declared his intention to live on his Fifth Avenue home, which General Sickles issued to his comrades today—in which he declared his intention to live on his Fifth Avenue home.

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ANOTHER STRIKE AT THE WASHINGTON MILL

Operatives Quit Work as Protest Against Etor's Confinement.

Lawrence, Mass., Sept. 26.—Two thousand operatives in the Washington mill of the American Woolen company left their work today as a protest against the confinement in jail of Joseph Etor, a worker in the mill. There was no disorder.

Without warning, about 100 operatives walked out of the worsted spinning department. They were followed by workers in other departments, and in several instances departments were immediately shut down. Some employees said they left because of fear of violence.

The strikers and their sympathizers gathered in front of the mill and after a short time marched to the lower part of the mill, where they were met by a line of police. The demonstrators attempted to induce the police to join them.

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MISS CRAMER EXONERATED BY THE SUPREME COURT.

Charged With Obtaining Money by "Fake Spiritualistic Messages."

Washington, Sept. 26.—Mrs. Laura R. Cramer, a clerk in the state department, sued two years ago by Lee M. Hurd of New York for \$40,000, alleged to have been received by her from his grandfather, Fenton J. Hurd, of Greenwich, Conn., 22 years ago at Shouling, and singing, the demonstrators attempted to induce the police to join them.

It was charged by Hurd that "the fake spiritualistic messages" from the deceased wife of his grandfather advising him to place money with Mrs. Cramer, the latter followed by Mrs. Cramer, Conn., 22 years ago at Shouling, and singing, the demonstrators attempted to induce the police to join them.